

DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.
11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding operations are reported to be going on in the taluks of Channapatna and Devanahalli.
Standing crops.—The standing crops ragi, avare, horse gram, gingelly, sugar-cane, paddy and punaji paddy, haraka, potatoes and onions are reported to be in good condition.
Crops harvested.—Nil.
Damages to crops.—Nil.
10. Prospects of the season are fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour. Food stocks are available in all the taluks. There were a few good showers in Doddballapur Taluk. More rain is needed throughout the district.
11. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Seeds sown.*—Horse gram in parts of Bowringpet and Chintamani Taluks and paddy in parts of the Chintamani Taluk.
Crops harvested and their outturn.—Same, saji and gidragi in parts of the district; yield 8 to 12 annas. Jola in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk.
Standing crops.—The standing crops are reported to be in good condition, but the dry crops are in urgent need of rains.
10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.
Prices of food grains.—Stationary.
Labour.—Sufficient for the cooly classes at present.
11. *Cattle.*—Healthy.
 Pasture and drinking water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.
9. *Crops sown.*—Horse gram in parts of Maddagiri, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.
Crops harvested.—Ground-nut in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri and Gubbi Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; yield 8 annas. Chillies in parts of Tumkur Taluk; yield 12 annas. Baragi in parts of Maddagiri and Sira Taluks; yield 2 annas and 8 annas respectively. Korale in parts of Sira Taluk; yield 8 annas. Jola in parts of Sira and Tiptur Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; yield 4 to 12 annas. Navane in parts of Sira Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; yield 8 to 12 annas. Nati ragi in parts of Sira, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; yield 4 to 8 annas. Sugar-cane in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; yield 12 annas.
Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, thogari, avare, jola, ground-nut, chillies, horse gram, castor, korale, and cotton are reported to be in fair condition, except in parts of Gubbi Taluk where they are reported to be in urgent need of rain.
10. *Prospects of the season.*—Hopeful for the present.
11. Cattle are reported to be in good condition in all parts of the district.
 Fodder is reported to be available in parts of the district.
 Water is reported to be available in all parts of the district.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations*.—Transplantation of paddy is going on in parts of Seringapatam, Nanjangud and T.-Narsipur Taluks.
Standing crops are.—Sugar-cane, paddy, ragi, horse gram, avare, togari, castor, til, jola, cotton, mulberry, ramtil, chillies, Bengal gram, haraka, black and green grams and they are reported to be in good condition except in parts of Malvalli Taluk, where they are reported to be withering for want of rain. Crops in parts of Chamrajnagar, T.-Narsipur, Mandya, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks are stated to be in need of rain.
Crops sown.—Horse gram, black and green grams in parts of T.-Narsipur Taluk.
Crops harvested.—Jola in parts of Mysore (8 annas), Chamrajnagar (8 annas), Heggaddevankote (12 annas) and Nanjangud Taluks (8 annas). Ragi in parts of Hunsur (12 annas) and Heggaddevankote Taluks (12 annas) and til (8 annas) in parts of Gundlupet Taluk.
10. *Prospects of the season* are good, but rain is wanted in most parts of the district.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.
 Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations*.—Transplantation of paddy is still going on in parts of the Hole-Narsipur Taluk.
Standing crops.—Paddy in parts of the Manjarabad, Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in Alur Sub-Taluk; kulthi, sugar-cane and avare in the Arkalgud Taluk; and doddaragi, kulthi and togari in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.
Crops harvested.—Ragi in the Arkalgud Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk and giddaragi in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are being harvested.
10. *Prospects of the season* are fair.
11. Foot and mouth disease is reported to prevail in the Belavadi village, Arkalgud Taluk. In other places, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations*.—Ploughing operations are going on in the taluks of Honnali and Sagar and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.
Seeds sown.—Horse gram and Yennagar jola are being harvested in the Honnali Taluk.
State of standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane in all the taluks, and the sub-taluk of Kumsi, ragi and horse gram in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab and Kumsi; jola, avare, thogari, cotton and til in the taluks of Channagiri and Honnali; chillies in parts of Shikarpur and Sorab and castor in the Sorab Taluk are reported to be in good condition.
Crops harvested.—Til, baragu and navane in the Honnali Taluk; ragi in the Shikarpur Taluk; and areca in the taluks of Sagar and Tirthahalli are being harvested.
10. The prospects of the season are reported to be fair.
11. Except for Rinderpest in Hiri Yidagodu village of Sorab Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available throughout the district.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations*.—Nil.
Crops sown.—Chikmagalur—Coriander kuresavi, horse gram and doddaragi. Kadur—Horse gram, coriander and navane.

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Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—Paddy, sugar-cane, etc. Kadur—Paddy, ragi, avare, togari, samé, navane, castor, hutchellu, cotton, cholum, etc. Tarikere—Sugar-cane, ragi, cholum, castor, cotton, gingelly, areca, paddy, green gram, etc. Koppa—Paddy, areca, sugar-cane, coffee and cardamom. Mudgere—Paddy, coffee, cardamom and sugar-cane. Sringeri—Paddy and areca.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition, but the areca and coffee crops in parts of Koppa Taluk and areca in Sringeri Jahagir are affected by koleroga.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur—Gingelly, ragi, cholum and areca. Kadur—Cholum and gingelly. Tarikere—Areca, gingelly, black gram and green gram.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food grains are available, but their prices are high as usual. The standing crops are reported to be in need of rains in parts of Kadur Taluk.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.

Dodda roga prevails in Sivane, Banavar, Thyagada Katte villages of Tarikere Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG

8. Markets were fairly supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, cotton, ragi, castor, til, ground-nut, avare, jola, navane, togari, green gram, horse gram and chillies, and they are reported to be generally in a fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Jagalur—Bilijola, Bengal gram. Holalkere—Bilijola. Chitaldrug—Bilijola.

Crops harvested.—Challakere—Sajje and til (eight annas). Hiriyur—Ragi and til (eight annas). Davangere—Ground-nut and til, (eight to twelve annas). Jagalur—Green gram, black gram, ground-nut and til (eight annas). Hosdurga—Jola, and til, (eight annas). Harihar—Ragi and navane (twelve annas). Holalkere—Jola and ground-nut, (eight to twelve annas).

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices continue to be stationary. Agricultural labour is generally available.

11. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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Absent from the station.